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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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SERIAL NO.: 10/045,220) ART UNIT: 3731
FILING DATE: October 23, 2001) DATE: May 4, 2004
FOR: Spinal Cord Removal)
Tool With Adjustable
Blades

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

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